

REGIONAL ANTI-GANG INTELLIGENCE-LED POLICING PROGRAM

Component: 50.30.909, 40.30.909

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

The purpose of this program is to support the development and expansion of regional networks of anti-gang efforts at the community, city and county levels throughout each Law Enforcement Mutual Aid (LEMA) Region. This program further assists those LEMA Regions to coordinate those anti-gang efforts, to facilitate the exchange of anti-gang information throughout the region, and to use that information to support anti-gang intelligence-led policing.

Each of the seven LEMA Regions in California has designated a regional anti-gang coordinator to serve as a central point of coordination for the LEMA Region. The regional anti-gang coordinator continually works to reach out to the County Sheriff's Department in each county within the region to help identify a county anti-gang coordinator, and to assist that county anti-gang coordinator to identify city anti-gang coordinator in each municipal police department within the county. County and municipal anti-gang coordinators are encouraged to identify community anti-gang efforts operating within their jurisdictions. In this way, county and municipal law enforcement agencies form a network throughout the region. This network of law enforcement agencies serves as a skeleton upon which the body of community anti-gang efforts is coordinated. Information concerning anti-gang efforts is exchanged throughout this network through personal contact, meetings, telephone calls and emails. The information gathered through this network by the regional anti-gang coordinator is used to support anti-gang intelligence-led policing.

This program began late in FY 2007/08 with \$1,400,000 in 2007 federal funds for local assistance grants. Of that amount, \$1,200,000 was allocated to six of the seven LEMA Regions in the State. The \$200,000 allocated to LEMA Region IA was initially declined. That amount was allocated to the Oxnard Police Department to implement this program in LEMA Region IA early during FY 2009/10. In addition, \$100,000 in 2007 federal funds was re-allocated from state operations to local assistance in FY 2009/10, and was used to augment the projects implemented by the City of Redding Police Department and the San Bernardino County Sheriff's Department.

FUNDS AWARDED

<u>Fiscal Year</u>	<u>Types of Funding</u>	<u>Total Funding</u>
FY 2008/09	Federal Trust Fund-Targeting Violent Crime Initiative (TVCI) FFY 2007	07/08 funding extended
FY 2009/10	Federal Trust Fund-Targeting Violent Crime Initiative (TVCI) FFY 2007	07/08 funding extended
FY 2010/11	No Additional Funding Anticipated	\$ 0

2008/09 PERFORMANCE STATISTICS

<u>323</u>	Law Enforcement Agencies participating in regional anti-gang networks.
<u>113</u>	Community organizations participating in regional anti-gang networks.
<u>401</u>	Instances of investigative assistance.
<u>202</u>	Instances of analytical assistance.
<u>320</u>	Instances of operational assistance.
<u>1,848</u>	Participants trained this reporting period.

2009/10 PERFORMANCE STATISTICS

Not Available

2010/11 PERFORMANCE STATISTICS

Not Available